

Filed by Facsimile
(703) 872-9306

Signed Amendment for Entry in Patent Application File	
Examiner:	Armando RODRIGUEZ
Technology Center:	2828
Serial Number:	09/504,896
Agent Dkt.:	6013-63US JA/AD/mb

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

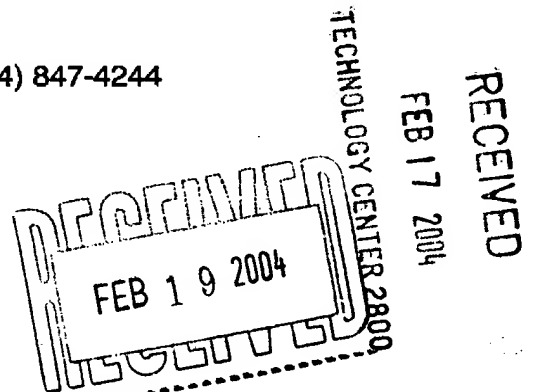
RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

FEB 05 2004

Applicants: Michel PICHÉ et al.
Serial No.: 09/504,896
Filing date: February 16, 2000
Title: DUAL-WAVELENGTH PASSIVE SELF-MODULATED
MODE-LOCKED SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DIODE
Examiner: Amando RODRIGUEZ
SPE: Paul IP
Group Art Unit: 2828
Agent of Record: James Anglehart Tel.: (514) 847-4244

OFFICIAL

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
2011 South Clark Place
Customer Window, Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendments
Crystal Plaza Two, Lobby, Room 1B03
Arlington, VA 22202
U.S.A.



RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

AND

PETITION FOR A THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

A three month extension of time is hereby requested in accordance with 37CFR1.136. The official fee (\$475.00) due for a small entity may be charged to our Deposit account 19-5113. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fee which may be required, or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account 19-5113.

In response to the Office Action dated August 5, 2003 in connection with the above-identified Application, please consider the following:

The Commissioner for Patents

09/504,896

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

REMARKS

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.